

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
REQUEST FOR FILING PATENT APPLICATION UNDER RULE 53(a), (b) & (f)

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RULE 53(f) NO DECLARATION

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
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Atty. Dkt. No.: 2573-0412

Date: February 2, 2004
 February 1 = Sunday

Sir:

1. This is a Request for filing a new Patent Application (☐ Design ☒ Utility) entitled:

2. (Complete)

Title:

PING-PONG PADDLE

without a filing fee or Oath/Declaration but for which is enclosed the following:

3. ☒ Abstract 1 page(s).

4. 12 Pages of Specification (only spec. and claims);

5. ☐ Specification in non-English Language

6. 24 Numbered claim(s); and

7. Drawings: sheet(s) 5 ☐ 1 set informal;

8. ☒ formal of size: ☐ A4 ☒ 11"

9. DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT International application(s):

Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Date
(1)		(2)	

10. FOREIGN priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in Germany

Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Date
(1) 203 01 529.0	February 1, 2003	(2)	

11. 1 (No.) Certified copy/copies: ☒ attached; ☐ previously filed on (date) _____

12. ☐ This is a reissue of Patent No. _____

13. ☐ See top first page re prior Provisional, National, International application(s) (X box if info there)

14. Extension to date: ☐ concurrently filed ☒ not needed ☐ previously filed

15. ☒ Small Entity Status is claimed (pre=filing confirmation required)

16. ☐ See NONPUBLICATION REQUEST under Rule 213(a) attached

17. ☐ Prior Application is assigned to _____
 by Assignment recorded _____ at Reel _____ Frame _____

18. ☐ **ATTACHED:**

20. This application is made by the following named inventor(s)
 (Listing of inventor(s) not a requirement, but list if known)

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